

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE TARIFF FILING OF SOUTH CENTRAL)	
BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY TO REVISE)	CASE NO. 89-328
ITS ACCESS SERVICE TARIFF)	

O R D E R

On September 25, 1989, South Central Bell Telephone Company ("SCB") filed with the Commission a proposed tariff to provide for direct billing to the end-user for Feature Group A ("FGA") Foreign Exchange/ONAL ("FX") type switched access service. On October 31, 1989, the Commission issued an Order suspending the tariff from November 1, 1989 through April 1, 1990.

To comply with an agreement reached with American Telephone and Telegraph Company ("AT&T"), SCB has proposed in its tariff to begin charging end-users directly for local access associated with interLATA FX services. SCB also proposed that these end-users be assessed FGA rates instead of the rates charged to end-users for local access associated with intraLATA FX services.

The Commission recognizes that concern for this situation has been raised in past proceedings, and that many differences may exist between SCB's interLATA access tariff and its charges for equivalent services provided on an intraLATA basis. However, the proposed tariff does not alter rates or rate structure, but simply changes the entity that is being billed for the service.

Having reviewed the proposed filing, the Commission finds that SCB's revision to its access services tariff should be approved. Accordingly, SCB's effective date should be contingent on the implementation of AT&T's channel services tariff as set out in the Commission's Order in Case No. 89-168,¹ dated March 19, 1990.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. SCB's revision of its access services tariff shall be approved for service rendered on and after the implementation of AT&T's channel services tariff as set out in the Commission's Order in Case No. 89-168, dated March 19, 1990.

2. SCB shall file revised access service tariff sheets no later than May 1, 1990.

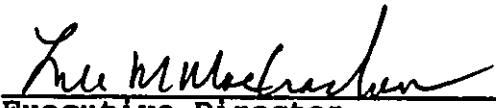
Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 2nd day of April, 1990.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman

ATTEST:


Executive Director

Commissioner

¹ Case No. 89-168, Proposed Restructure and Repricing of AT&T's Channel Services Tariff.